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### EDUCATIONAL.

From Los Nietos.

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Los Nietos, Nov. 21.

EDITOR HERALD—Dear Sir: In accepting your kind offer to the teachers of Los Angeles county, I assumed the task of contributing something towards filling the space allotted us in your valuable paper. Judging from the position of the "Institute," I am inclined to believe our column will be read by few. A people whose children require to be driven to school by a "compulsory" law can feel but little interest in the education of their children. Their attendance has been most excellent in the district is a small one as you will infer from the number of pupils enrolled. The patrons are poor, but honest and industrious. And to our poverty we have another cause—a superabundance of old bachelors; they tell me so, and she is not an old maid; so there must be some truth in what she says. The cause of this fact was not stated. Whether the bachelors or the ladies are to blame I know not, but it is an evil that should be remedied if possible. I could give some good advice in this matter, but that is one thing I never give unasked, and very sparingly anyhow; I will make a suggestion at any rate. Let us have a "compulsory" marriage law, enforcing every man to have at least one wife, with the privilege of as many children as he wants. Zoroaster said, no one was a good citizen until he had planted a tree, tilled a field, and become a father. This is good authority, for he made laws, I think, for a nation.

Our patrons have taken a very common-sense interest in the school; enough to put to shame the advocates of "compulsory" attendance. I feel very much like the hen spoken of at the "Institute," inclined "to spread" myself, but haven't space as she had. Yours truly, W. H. BEALL.

CO-EDUCATION A STONE.—At a recent meeting of the Board of Regents of Michigan University, the President reported as follows in regard to the co-education in that institution: "The history of our work during the past year has also deepened the impression made during the two previous years as to the entire practicability of imparting collegiate and professional education to both sexes in the same schools. If any have cherished a few studies, the admission of women would tend to reduce the standard of work in the university, their attention may be directed to the fact that during the last three years we have been steadily increasing the requirements for admission and graduation in that institution. Now, certainly the women are not inferior to the men in acquiring the studies assigned to them in the regular curriculum as to call for any modification of the course on their account. Their record is as creditable in all branches of their regular studies as that of the other sex. No do I believe in the least that their success in their intellectual pursuits is at the expense of their health. On the contrary, I doubt if an equal number of young women in any other pursuit in life have been in better health during the year."

THE UNFORTUNATES.—In the recent census of the United States there are reported: Persons blind, and also deaf and dumb, 96; persons blind and also insane, 75; persons blind and also idiotic, 105; persons blind, deaf and dumb, and also insane, 15; persons blind, deaf and dumb, and also idiotic, 11; persons deaf and dumb, and also insane, 59; persons blind, 20,320; persons deaf, 16,267; persons insane, 7,832; persons idiotic, 25,527. The foreign population of the United States is very much increasing, and the number of foreigners in 1860 is 400,000; while of the natives only 1,120,131 is insane.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.—The city of Atlanta, Georgia, levied one and one-half cents upon the real estate of the city for educational purposes. Large numbers of the best citizens of that State are moving to Atlanta to obtain the advantages of her well regulated public schools. Let our City Council and Chamber of Commerce take the hint. Good schools will draw good citizens.

HOW A BARK GATHERS PRESUMPTIONS.—There is a knowing man near Paris, Tennessee. The local paper of that place says: "A. G. McCall of this county has a very fine ram of the Cotswold and Southdown breed. The remarkable feature of the buck is his long, straight, and very prominent horns. When enough fruit has not fallen during the night to satisfy his ramship's appetite, he proceeds to shake the tree, which he does in the following manner: 'He will walk out from the tree some fifteen or twenty paces, and looking at it two or three times, will come full tilt and strike the body of the tree with all the force he is capable of exerting. Down rattles the persimmon, and he proceeds to regale himself with an air that seems to say, 'I know a thing or two.' One thing is certain, this knowing ram, and that is he cannot distinguish a persimmon tree from an oak post, and he butts them all."

General Stone, now in Egypt, but for some time past, has been seen looking at the pyramids of that country. The highest dignity that can be attained by any one not a member of the royal family. This promotion makes him a King. Colonel Sparrow Purdy, likewise a well known Californian, but for many years in Egypt, has been decorated Commandeur of the Imperial Order of Medjidie, the highest honor that can be conferred by the Khedive.

### ADVERTISING IN DULL TIMES.

The New York Evening Post gives the following from the Milwaukee Wisconsin:

After the crash of '57, when everybody was almost scared to death, and the croakers predicted that the country had gone to smash, a dry goods house was opened in this city; which proceeded on the principle that in order to reach the hoarded money in the pockets of the people, the proprietors must sell at very reasonable prices and advertise very largely. They worked vigorously upon this principle. Their broker merchants, who did not advertise, predicted that the new concern would be ruined, as they paid too much for advertising. Nevertheless they persisted. In a single year they paid \$500 in gold to the weekly Wisconsin for advertising; at the end of seven years they retired with a fortune of \$100,000, while other merchants on the same street, some of them opposite their store had failed.

"We remember," says the Post, "a similar instance among our own advertisers in the panic of 1857. A merchant continued his advertisement in our columns through the whole period of stagnation, and notwithstanding the many predictions that it 'wouldn't pay,' his testimony afterward was that his sales were steady and his profits satisfactory, while many a merchant around him who 'couldn't afford to advertise,' saw his clerks stand idle behind the counters.

A financial panic does not mean that no one has any money. There is plenty of money in the country, and those who hoard it are just the ones to be eager for the 'bargains' which a fall in prices holds out. But to buy they must know where to buy, and never the merchant who tells them will receive their cash."

SENATOR CASSERLY'S WILL.—We have been favored with a copy of this celebrated statesman's will, which we here present to our readers. Being developed in body, sound in health, and of a natural mind, I do make this last Will and Testament:

2d. My political virtue I give to Dr. Shorb in trust for the benefit of the Democratic party.

3d. I bequeath all my political capital to the *Republican*, to be used as a sinking fund when the city and county printing shall be given to another.

4th. I give all and singular my law library to Colonel Barnes, as a slight token of my appreciation of his unlimited services.

5th. All debts due me for services rendered in my official capacity, by any corporations, corporation or individual, and which I failed to collect in advance, I devise to the R. C. Orphan Asylum.

6th. I give my family pride in Bishop Kip as a reward for his laudable zeal in remembering his successors, to the exclusion of his successors.

7th. My senatorial mantle I freely give to any one who, Eliza-like, stands under it when it falls.

8th. I bequeath my wit, genius and ability, unreservedly, to the Democratic Committee in San Francisco, but not to be used until I am no more.

9th. I bestow all my learning upon the High School investigation Committee.

10th. I desire that six ball-bearings should attend my funeral, one to be a lawyer who is the most known pretender to honesty in California; the second a policeman who can never be found on his beat; the third an apostate clergyman of good character; the fourth a ward politician who never told the truth; the fifth an editor of a "live" paper, and the sixth the *News Letter* man, whom it is my desire to punish.

I do appoint Governor Booth my executor without bond. [News Letter.]

THE GUILTY PARISHALL.—The Rev. Mr. Marshall, a Baptist minister of Oakland, formerly of Sacramento, was tried by his church authorities, and was found guilty of these charges upon this vote:

Charge 1st.—Accused the Rev. R. F. Parshall with being guilty of lascivious conduct and language indicative of lascivious designs.

Specification 1st.—That he said to a certain widow lady (name withheld from the public) that he loved her, and under the pretense of giving her spiritual advice he proposed an elopement with her, and made an infamous proposal to her.

The finding of the council on the above specification is as follows: Found guilty by a vote of 18 to 11.

Specification 2d.—Enticing a young lady into the church at night, and attempting to have carnal connection with her, and placing his hands upon her in a lecherous manner.

The finding of this specification is, found guilty by a vote of 19 to 10.

Specification 3d.—Attempting to kiss four young ladies, quite young girls, members of this church, taking them in his arms, playing and rubbing his face against theirs in a licentious manner. Sometimes these acts took place in a house, and at other times in a buggy while out riding, always alone. These girls were 16 to 17 years of age.

The finding on this specification is guilty by a vote of 21 to 7, one member having withdrawn on account of sickness.

The entire charge above was then voted upon. Found guilty by a vote of 23 to 7.

There were other charges against Parshall, some of which were investigated and upon which he was found guilty. But as they were of less heinous character than those cited above, the council charitably concluded to allow the greater to cover the others, and drop them.

Negotiations are pending, which, if consummated, will result in the Horton House being run hereafter on the European plan. Mr. H. Solomon, of Solomon's Restaurant, from whom there is no superior cater to man's (and woman's) too) digestive apparatus, will have charge of the culinary department, and the rest of the house will be run by Mr. Horton as at present. [San Diego Union.]

### FOR SALE—TO LET.

#### LAND FOR SALE.

LOCATED ABOUT TWO MILES south of the Los Nietos Depot. A splendid 100-ACRE LOT is offered for sale on the most liberal terms. The location is very desirable, and the land is in good condition. Last year it produced a crop of 15 bushels of corn to the acre. Any one who may desire to purchase land in this locality would do well to inspect this lot and examine the crops, which has not been gathered. The sale reason for marketing this property is to meet certain obligations immediately. TERMS—One-half cash, and the balance in one or two years.

AN 80-ACRE TRACT, located on the line of the railroad going east to Mud Springs, and embraced in the San Jose Rancho. This is a most desirable piece of land, is in a first-rate condition; under fence, and good water right on which are growing 10,000 grape vines in a full bearing condition; has a large commodious SHELING-HOUSE; all to be sold on easy terms. For particulars, apply to P. C. TONNEL, Spadra, or at

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45 ACRES—FIRST-CLASS FOR corn or fruit, with wood and water. Price, \$1,000.

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35 ACRES ALL IN CULTIVATION—first-class improved—one mile south of the L. N. R. R. \$2,500.

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45 ACRES ONE MILE EAST of Nietos Depot, on the line of the Railroad. Electric light and water are raised on the land this year. There is also a good dwelling house, corn crib, etc.

1,000 SACKS OF GOOD BARLEY for sale. Apply to J. B. HOLLOWAY, Gallatin.

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40 ACRES OF LAND ONE mile south of the city, well improved, good house and out buildings; good well; 10 acres in vineyard, mostly foreign; 400 orange trees mostly from the 15 to 25 years old; 10 walnut trees from two to six years old; 30 apple trees, some bearing. Title good; terms easy. Also

FOURTY ACRES of land 1 1/2 miles south of the city, well improved, good house and out buildings, and a lot of corner of Main and Fifth streets. House new. Lot 60x150. Also, THREE LOTS between Fourth and Fifth streets, on Olive.

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### WANTED.

A PURCHASER FOR TWO VALUABLE LOTS OF LAND, 50x120 feet each, situated near the center of the city, which cost \$25 last June, but will be sold for \$250, on account of the owner going to Arizona. Address CASH, P. O. box 648.

### For Sale or Rent.

THE CORNER LOT ON MAIN street, opposite Pico House, 60x115. Inquire at H. FLEISHMAN'S store.

### For Sale!

2 CITY LOTS, FIVE MINUTES' walk from the court-house, each 73x250 feet, with bearing orange and lemon trees, and ditch running through it. Most desirable property. Inquire of E. GREENBAUM, at the White House.

### FOR SALE.

92 ACRES ON THE SAN ANTONIO river, about 10 miles from the city and two from Los Nietos depot, and a depot is within one-half mile. The tract is well improved, and more timber than the place can consume. The water right is excellent and the buildings and improvements good. Refer to A. C. CHAVIN, Los Angeles.

### FOR SALE.

A HOUSE AND LOT SITUATED on Sansonville street, a short distance east of the depot. The lot is 200x100 feet, fronting on two streets, with a large orange fig, Almond and apricot trees, all bearing fruit. There is also a family use from the Water Company's pipes, and also a ditch for irrigating. Apply at La Esperanza store, 108 Main street.

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The Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber is making a great effort to interest our citizens and to induce them by subscriptions and in other ways, to assist their undertaking. The Chamber is the special guardian of the interests of the district, a body whose aim is to diffuse through the east a knowledge of the advantages of Southern California, and to protect and extend trade as far as possible. As a body politic and corporate, the protests of the Chamber are of far greater weight than would be those of the same number of private citizens. It will shortly have offices and employees whose special duty it will be to answer enquirers' letters, and increase the knowledge of the outside world regarding the southern district by the broadcast distribution of pamphlets, newspapers and circulars. All this will cost money, and only persons of the narrowest views will refuse to assist the officers of the Chamber of Commerce in their endeavors to increase its funds and thereby enlarge its usefulness.

To the Farmers.

The Agricultural Association have very liberally offered to the public the remaining shares undistributed in the Society. The offer is one which every farmer should embrace at once, or else forever hold his peace. Besides the excellence of the investment, and the chance of there never being another call on the stock, there is another consideration. The Association must be conducted according to the views of the stockholders. If the farmers are not represented amongst that body for the future, (especially when such liberal terms are offered them), they cannot grumble if next year their interests are badly cared for. From Santa Barbara to San Diego there is hardly a farmer who cannot subscribe at least for one share. Let us hear at the next meeting the agriculturalists have responded to this general demand of the district, and bought the remaining shares freely.

THE HERALD is not responsible for what the Santa Barbara Press may say about the Fair. Throughout the late argument this journal never said a word about the "non presence of ladies and clergymen." On the contrary it alluded frequently to the presence of ladies, and might have to that of clergymen, as several were present of all denominations. The Express makes a mistake in trying to father on the HERALD the opinions of other journals. The Santa Barbara Press says that "it (the fair) has been described to us by gentlemen who attended." Does the Express want to revive the question? If so it can discuss it alone, only it would be well to credit the HERALD with its actual opposition, without ringing in the private opinions of others.

Water.

While every one is talking irrigation, comparatively few are doing any thing to obtain a supply of water. It has long been a trite axiom in California that it is the winter waste which makes the summer drought. The rainy season is just commencing, and this is the exact time to make preparations to secure water. There is hardly a ranch holder in the State who has not the means of constructing a dam or reservoir on some portion of his high ground, where nature has already almost formed a basin. By constructing a few ditches now, wherever reservoirs are needed, thousands of acres may be doubled in value. Save the water now.

Look at This!

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At the Esperanza Store, No. 108 Main Street, will be found the largest and choicest stock of Merchandise, Groceries, Liquors, Cigars, etc., in Southern California. It is well known that at this store you can buy all goods in their line at from five to ten per cent. cheaper than at any other store in Los Angeles; also that the highest price is paid for all kinds of country produce. All goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

The Cuyas House.

The California oysters kept in the elegant establishment of Mr. Cuyas, near the Pio House, have special qualities, owing to the system followed by the above named gentleman in fattening and preserving them as fresh as when taken out of the sea. Lovers of oysters can see for themselves and be convinced. Chocolate, coffee, tea and other refreshments, all first-class, are also served here. There can be found for sale Sherry Wine, Macaroni, imported from Spain, by Mr. Cuyas, and best brands of Havana Cigars. He also keeps a good stock of perfumery, toys and candies of all kinds. nov-2w

Wonderful, Isn't It?

The amount of goods one can get for \$1.00 at the Dollar Store is really astonishing; and Dunsmoor Brothers deem it a pleasure to show their beautiful stock of Holiday Goods to all who may choose to call. Parties buying presents for Sabbath schools or Christmas trees will find it to their advantage to call on Dunsmoor Bros. before making a selection.

Mr. J. Cohn keeps fine Havana and Domestic Cigars.

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Thos. Emerson, Weber and Chickering

Thos. Emerson, Weber and Chickering pianos for sale on the installment plan. J. D. PATRICK, Traveling Agent. Leave orders at Hellman's Book Store. nov-2w

Special Notices.

Having just returned with a very large stock of California and Eastern jewelry which we purchased from first hand—the manufacturers—we propose to sell at very low profits. We handle the best of everything in our line. We sell Vandervell & Co's and Gorham & Co's solid silverware, and Rogers & Bros' silver plated ware, for whom we are authorized agents for Southern California and get our goods direct from them. The public should be sure to see that all silverware is stamped Rogers & Bros, as there is a quantity of goods in the market bearing similar trade marks, using the name Rogers in various ways, and so appearing so nearly genuine that unless by paying particular attention they are liable to be deceived. There is no ware manufactured by Rogers & Bros, except that which bears their trade mark to the letter. But there are several companies manufacturing Rogers' ware, and by close inspection you will see that the trade mark reads differently, and is not made by Rogers & Bros, which is the acknowledged standard plate ware, and as we have handled the same for ten years we can recommend it. We are also sole agents for Rogers' Patent Interchangeable Spectacles. These Spectacles, which are guaranteed to improve the eyesight and never injure, as they are all airtight lenses. We thoroughly understand, practically and scientifically, fitting all eyes, no matter how difficult the case may be, as our stock comprises everything in the line. We are now introducing many new lines of Watches, which are of our designs of Key and Pendant Wonders, with some of our own improvements. We have the materials made especially for us, and import them direct and put them up in the most approved plan, having increased our facilities more than ever. We also keep a very fine stock of American and Swiss Watches. We always have in stock Chronographs, Fly-Bucks, split and Quarter-Second Watches, of the best makers. We have an unequalled stock of the very finest Jewelry, which we buy for cash direct from the manufacturers east. Also, the most extensive variety of Clocks, consisting of American, German, Swiss and French manufacture, and a nice line of German Cuckoo Clocks. We have a fine stock of Diamonds and other precious stones; in fact we have a complete stock in our line of business—we would say the largest in Southern California, were it not so common for every one to say theirs is the largest stock. You can easily see by taking a look. Call on us, and if you don't see what you want, ask for it. As our store is small, we keep a fine lot of goods in the safe, which we will show with pleasure. We make a specialty of Repairing of every kind, for which we are prepared in every emergency, and guarantee satisfaction. We do all kinds of Engraving on Silver Ware, Jewelry, Coffin Plates, etc., in a neat and workmanlike manner. All goods sold by us are engraved free of charge. Come early and secure your Holiday Presents, and have them engraved, as they are going off rapidly. We wish to tender our sincere thanks to the public of Los Angeles and Southern California for the flattering success which we have met, far beyond our most sanguine expectations; and we hope by energetic enterprise, a thorough knowledge of and close attention to our business—with a sufficient capital ready to increase as the demands may require—to merit, not only the present patronage, but a large increase in the future.

Respectfully,

E. E. FISHER & CO.

Los Angeles, Dec. 2, 1873.

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LOST—A FINE BROWN AND white setter slut. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office. dec-1t

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Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars. dec-2w

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An Independent Newspaper, Devoted to the Interests of Southern California.

J. A. JOHNSON, Editor and Proprietor.

AS THE CHARMING CHARACTER of Southern California, and more especially that most favored section called Santa Barbara, becomes known to the world, it is not surprising that a widespread and growing interest in this region should be awakened. It is the constant aim of the Press to furnish perfectly reliable information on all points of interest to tourists, invalids and home-seekers, which we are now able to do with greatly increased facilities. While the PRESS seeks to promote the prosperity of all Southern California by all legitimate and honorable methods, it is more directly interested in the growth and coming greatness of Santa Barbara. The unequalled loveliness of the climate, its most incredible healthfulness, the beauty of the scenery, the wondrous variety and fertility of the soil, the almost unlimited range of products which flourish there without irrigation, will be known from time to time by facts which cannot be controverted. In the columns of the PRESS, any intelligent person can become familiar with this part of the State by reading the PRESS for a year. The terms of the Press, per annum, \$7.00. Terms of the Weekly, per annum, \$3.00. Currency and Postoffice Money understood at par.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENT.

All yearly subscribers to the WEEKLY PRESS will obtain, upon the delivery of their Number, and a copy of WOODS' GUIDE to Santa Barbara, Town and County.

A WORD TO ADVERTISERS.

It is an admitted fact that the SANTA BARBARA PRESS is the leading journal of Southern California, and has a much larger circulation than any other newspaper in that section, being more widely read by the more thrifty families, and hence its advantages to advertisers are obvious. nov-2w

COSMOPOLITAN CIGAR DEPOT

IMPORT THE PUREST AND BEST Havana Cigars, and keep on hand Cheating and Smoking Tobacco Pipes, Cigars and Fancy Articles. Main St., next door to W. F. & Co's Express. dec-1t

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THE LOWER PART OF HOUSE on Main Street, within five minutes' walk of the terminus of the Omnibus. Contains five rooms, bath, wash room, pantry and closets. Inquire on the premises, nov-2w2d2w J. F. SMITH.

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Copartnership Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETO existing under the firm name of DOTTOR & LORDE, General Furniture Dealers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Isaac W. Lord having sold his interest to C. H. Bradley. JOHN C. DOTTOR, ISAAC W. LORD.

The above mentioned business, from this date (November 1st), will be continued at the stand by DOTTOR & BRADLEY, who assume the liabilities and collect the debts of the old firm, and hope to merit a continuance of the generous patronage heretofore extended to DOTTOR & LORDE.

Los Angeles, November 1st, 1873. nov-1m

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Caviar, Sardellen, Swiss and Limburger Cheese. A fine Billiard Table in the Hall. dec-2p

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All Kinds of SEWING MACHINES THOROUGHLY REPAIRED.

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I solicit the patronage of my old friends and the public in general. All are invited to call and inspect my stock, whether they wish to purchase or not.

MENDEL MEYER. Mr. Meyer notifies all persons indebted to him to call and settle up immediately, or the accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. nov-1m

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Call and examine my stock. Priced catalogue sent free. Address Postoffice Box 263, Los Angeles, Cal. T. A. CAREY, nov-1m

Guitar and Singing.

PROFESSOR M. S. AREVALO has returned to this city, and will resume his classes. Private Lessons and Lessons to Classes Apply at BRODRICK'S Book and Music Store. dec-1m1p

Teachers' Examination.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF EXAMINATION will hold the regular quarterly examination of Teachers in Los Angeles on THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 4th, 5th and 6th of DECEMBER, at the court-house. W. M. McFADDEN, Co. Supt. of Schools. nov-1m1w

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Orders for DRAUGHT or BOTTLED BEER promptly attended to.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

REMOVAL

LOS ANGELES UPOTRY MARKET.

WE HAVE THIS DAY MOVED to Flinders building on Main Street, next door to Dodson's Meat Market, where we will always keep on hand, as before, at wholesale and retail, Fresh Eggs, Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Geese, and all kinds of wild game.

LOS ANGELES HONEY, in comb or strained, in quantities to suit, and All Kinds of Fruit and Vegetables.

COMMISSION AND SHIPPING of general country produce. Poultry or game cleaned and dressed to order at a moment's notice, and delivered to any part of the city, free of charge.

After the 4th of December we will receive, by every morning train, a supply of fresh butter and eggs from California and Los Nietos. We will be pleased to see our old customers and solicit new ones, and will always endeavor to give perfect satisfaction.

EUGENE GERMAIN, Manager. nov-2m1

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BOOKS, STATIONERY, ETC., AT THE NEW BOOK STORE, UNDER THE LAFAYETTE HOTEL.

A. C. SHAW & CO., Respectfully announce to the people of Los Angeles that they have just received a large invoice of MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL, and BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY of every description, PAPER, CUTLERY, etc., which they will sell







